

College Expands Industrial Arts Department For Fifth Time in 20 Years



BIG SNOW . . . temporarily halted work on the expansion program at the Industrial Arts building last week, but the work is scheduled to be completed by May 1st.

By Edna Shell

Rapid development and active expansion are phrases often used these days to describe the growth of Northwest Missouri State College. Nowhere can they be more properly applied than in referring to the Industrial Arts department, in the midst of its fifth building program in the past 20 years. The new construction, just north of the present site, will be completed by May 1, and will bring up to 5,000 sq. ft. the floor space devoted to Industrial Arts, as compared to 3,000 sq. ft. in 1932. There are about 400 students being trained now, whereas in 1932 there were approximately 25. But even at the present capacity, no other school in Missouri can match this department in area, equipment, or number of students, according to Mr. D. N. Valk, departmental chairman.

Expansion in Administration Building
In its earliest existence, Industrial Arts occupied the rooms now used by the Fine Arts enthusiasts. In 1931 this space was not enough for the students enrolled at that time, so the first unit of a separate building was erected. It contained 100 sq. ft. of floor space, divided between wood working and draft units.

Again, in 1938, more room was needed, and at this time the first two-story additions were built to the east of the original structure. A class room, general metal shop, drafting room, and an elementary industrial arts room were located there, and promptly outgrown once more.

More Shops Were Added
Supplemental shops were added, therefore, containing a machine shop, working laboratory, metal machine laboratory, craft shop and draughting rooms.

Two new class rooms were supplied in 1955, and one was equipped with audio-visual work; but as enrollments continued to mount the addition now under construction was scheduled. In it will be incorporated a new general shop laboratory, an electrical laboratory and storage rooms.

Chairman Began Service in 1932
The present chairman, Mr. D. N. Valk, came to the department in 1932, following Mr. U. G. Whiffen who headed the department for the previous five years. Today there are three other faculty members: Mr. Kenneth Thompson, Mr. Howard Ringold, and Mr. David Crozier.

Three types of students work in the department. The largest group are those preparing to teach industrial arts in secondary schools. A second group are engineering students taking their first two years

of school here before transferring to engineering schools, and the third group consists of those students interested in securing the departmental offerings for their own use.

Department Offers Many Courses

At the present time courses are offered in mechanical and architectural drawing, bench work, power woodworking, general shop, welding, crafts, elementary industrial arts, shop mathematics, metal machine work, and electricity.

The I. A. Club, consisting of 200 members, is sponsored by the department, and each year trips are taken to inspect various industries. In the latter part of April, 60 members will attend the national convention of the American Industrial Arts Association in Kansas City.

Effects of Drouth May Not Be Known Until Five Years

Drouth and insects have teamed up against Mr. Myles Grabau, of the agriculture department, and the campus ground crew in their efforts to keep the landscaping of the College in good condition.

Mr. Grabau, who is in charge of landscaping of the campus and maintenance and planting in the green house, said that the full effect of the recent drouth may not be known until five years from now. He pointed out that many of the plants, shrubs, and trees on campus are becoming old and soon will need replacing.

According to Mr. Grabau, presently the main job of the ground crew is removing the dead plants and trees which have died from the insects and the drouth and the recent big snow.

The ground crew and Mr. Grabau will be busy in the future with landscaping plans of the new buildings to be constructed here soon. Mr. Grabau said that College money is being saved by ordering young nursery stock now, and planting it here on campus. The new stock will be planted north of the Home Management House and east of the bus barns. When the new buildings are completed the stock will be transplanted into a permanent location.

Other than the landscaping program for the new buildings, Mr. Grabau said that there are no great plans for the future in the landscaping of the campus. He added that the bag worm plague, which has killed several campus evergreen trees, will be stopped this year by some new spraying equipment which the College recently has purchased.

Overton Is Named SGA President; Norma Long, Veep

Jerry Overton, a junior from Atchison, Kansas, and Norma Long, a junior from Grant City, were elected as president and vice-president of the student body, respectively, for the 1957-58 school year at a meeting of the Student Government Association held Thursday, March 28. Both candidates were unopposed for their offices and were voted in on an acclamation ballot. Art Buckingham, this year's student body president, presided at the meeting.

Overton, a member of Phi Sigma Epsilon fraternity, was co-chairman of the Homecoming Committee last fall, and has served on the Student Senate during his freshman, sophomore, and junior years. Bob K. James placed Mr. Overton's name in nomination for the presidency.

Norma Long was the choice for the Alpha Sigma Alpha candidate for vice-president of the SGA. Miss Long has been very active in her sorority, serving as president this past year and at the same time serving as president of the Pan-Hellenic Council. She has been a member of the Union Board for the past two years.

Mr. Overton in making his acceptance speech expressed the desire for cooperation among the various social organizations on campus and said, "While serving as your president I will strive not to show any partiality to any one group, and I will encourage those students that are not affiliated with any social organization to take a much more active part in the affairs of the Student Government Association for the betterment of our campus."

Art Buckingham announced that individual class meetings will be held to nominate candidates for the Student Senate positions for the coming year. The election of the Student Senators will take place on Wednesday, April 10.

Moore, Geer and Sullivan Head Bibliophile Contest

Woodson Moore—chairman, Bill Geer and Dan Sullivan make up the committee in charge of the annual bibliophile contest sponsored by the Kappa Delta Pi for all students. April 12 has been set for the deadline. Book collections should be turned into Lon Wilson's office by that date.

Prizes will be awarded at the Honors Assembly to the first, second and third place winners. Cash awards of \$10, \$5 and \$2.50 will be given.

Winners will be determined by the following facts: The collections of books should be representative of some specific field such as history, geography, literature, science, etc. Reference books are important. Paper bound books may be used if they are on a high level. The suggested limit is twenty books.

Judges will look for evidence of a reasonable degree of usage, and how well the books contribute to one special field of interest.

'All the King's Horses' to Be Presented at Phi Sig Frolics

"All the King's Horses," a three-act musical comedy, will be put on by the Phi Sigma Epsilon fraternity at 8 p.m., Wednesday and Thursday nights, April 11 and 12, in the College auditorium.

There will also be a beauty contest with representatives from each women's organization on the campus. The queen will be selected on Friday night from the finalists of these contestants.

A portion of the cast consists of the following: Bob K. James, Boy Blu; Carl Redmon, Humpty Dump-



I'M GLAD IT'S OVER . . . seems to be the expression on Art Buckingham's face as he joins in a three-way hand shake with Jerry Overton, left, and Norma Long, newly elected president and vice-president of the Student Government Association.

New York's Cerf To Be on Campus Friday, April 12

Bennett Cerf, the nationally known author, editor, columnist, and humorist, will appear before an all-college assembly on Friday, April 12, at 10 a.m. Mr. Cerf, who is seen every Sunday night on the television program "What's My Line" will deliver his wit-filled lecture on "Changing Styles in American Humor."

Cerf is one of the busiest men in the country for besides his weekly panel appearance he is the president of Random House, the author of eight books of humor, the editor of "An Encyclopedia of Modern American Humor," and a columnist for "This Week Magazine" and the "Saturday Review."

Mr. Cerf's association with publishing came at an early age. While he was a student at Columbia University in New York City, Mr. Cerf served as editor of the college's humor magazine "The Jester." Later upon graduating from Columbia he found himself the holder of two degrees—one in journalism and the other a lifetime membership in Phi Beta Kappa.

It was after his graduation from the university and after a time of holding down two jobs at the same time, one as a reporter for the New York Herald Tribune and the other as a clerk on the New York Stock Exchange, that he started in the publishing business by buying the Modern Library series in 1925. Mr. Cerf founded Random House Publications in 1927 and the list of authors it publishes includes names of Eugene O'Neill, William Faulkner, and Sinclair Lewis.

As a publisher Mr. Cerf has given the country such books as "Guadalcanal Diary" and "Thirty Seconds Over Tokyo" along with the best seller "No Time For Sergeants." His weekly column "The Cerf Board" is read in This Week Magazine and his daily feature "Try and Stop Me" is widely syndicated.

College Establishes Combined Curriculum With School of Mines

The Northwest Missouri State College announces the establishment of a combined curriculum with the Missouri School of Mines and Metallurgy whereby a student may in a five-year period secure a Bachelor of Arts degree from the Northwest Missouri State College and a Bachelor of Science degree in Engineering from the Missouri School of Mines and Metallurgy.

Students entering upon this program will follow a prescribed three year curriculum at the College and

COLLEGE ADOPTS 3-3 PLAN

The College has adopted a cooperative plan with the University of Missouri School of Law whereby a student can transfer from this institution after three years, and then, upon successfully completing one year in the School of Law, would receive the B. A. degree from here and after two more years of successful work would receive the law degree from the University of Missouri.

This plan was approved by the College faculty Monday and accepted by the Board of Regents at their meeting on this campus yesterday.

then transfer to the Missouri School of Mines and Metallurgy for a two-year period. At the end of the five year period the degree from each institution will be conferred.

Students who desire to qualify for these degrees should have completed the following mathematics courses in high school: Algebra, 1 unit, Advanced Algebra, 1/2 unit, Plane Geometry, 1 unit, Solid Geometry, 1/2 unit. One-half unit of Trigonometry will be accepted in lieu of Solid Geometry, but it is not recommended. Students who have a deficiency in high school may remove the deficiency by doing work on the college level.

It is important that students who wish to follow this combined program notify the College at registration time. An advisor will help the student plan the complete program. Applications for this program should be made to the Registrar's office. Students, not the college, are responsible for meeting the requirements of the combined curriculum. Acceptance at the Missouri School of Mines and Metallurgy is contingent upon the recommendation of the College.

Hundreds Are Expected On Campus for Contests

Spring contests are expected to draw thousands of district high school students and visitors to the College campus throughout this week. Sixty high schools, bringing forty-five hundred contestants, are entered in the Friday and Saturday music contests.

The Tweed Look . . .

Campus politics is a subject that crops into one's mind when anyone mentions the fact that the Student Government Association elections are coming around. Now it is imperative that these elections be carried out in accord with the democratic principles so well known in this country in order that the most capable and efficient men and women can occupy the positions of importance on the campus.

The office of Student Body President, held so capably these past two years by Ken Moore and Art Buckingham, is one position of the highest responsibility on the campus political scene. The President is the one who, along with the Student Senate, makes policy decisions affecting each and every one of us. It is not only logical but also essential that the person selected as student body president be one who represents the majority of the student body—not one who is vested with the interest of a minority group.

It, for some unknown reason, has been the constant policy, precedent and tradition on this campus to pass the highest student body political "plum" from one social organization to another with the precision of a fine Swiss watch. Now I do not wish to leave the impression that I am against precision, but I would like to leave the impression that I am against stagnated policy. I should also like to remind you that we live in a supposed democracy, and it is my belief that we, as individuals, should follow the teachings of that ideology. I do not mean to suggest that any two social organizations should take advantage of this system, but I do believe and hope that every organization will flood the ballot with its candidates so that all phases and segments of the student population will be well represented. Let's have a real campaign with the gloves off, not a mock dry run with blank ammunition.

The election should, but it possibly will not, reflect the feelings of the students because of this traditional policy of stagnation and corruption! I say corruption for the major interests of the smaller organizations on the campus are not represented, and when one takes into consideration that the total of all the minor organizations on campus form a majority of the student body, then the system we now have and that we are now operating under is not only obsolete and stagnant, but it is also a system that serves as a breeding place for corruption; yes, intolerable, insufferable corruption.

Political pies, string-pulling, "deals," "gentlemen's agreements," and blanket voting in the bloc form have no place in the politics of or on this campus. TO VOTE BLINDLY IS TO INVITE DISASTER.—Bill Morse.

They're Talking About . . .

THEY'RE TALKING ABOUT . . . the pink slips after the results of the mid-term exams . . . the College band concert . . . railroading parliamentarian Art Buckingham comes from a long line of Sante Fe railroaders . . . the coming lecture by Bennett Cerf of "What's My Line" . . . Ice Capade trip to Omaha . . .

THEY'RE TALKING ABOUT . . . the television performance of the Jazz Band . . . the TEKE actives who were "taken for a ride" . . . the need for type O positive blood donors . . . the Northwest Missourian winning a first place in the national paper contest . . .

THEY'RE TALKING ABOUT . . . the proposed Young Democrats and Young Republican clubs on campus . . . the big name dance to be held the third of May . . . the snow storm with all its thrills and spills . . . Parent's Day coming up April 18 . . .

THEY'RE TALKING ABOUT . . . the Dolphin "Holiday in Paris" . . . the Ag Judging Contest April 11 . . . the missing mid-term test in Humanities 1C . . .

THEY'RE TALKING ABOUT . . . the outside readings in social science . . . the recent pinnings at the Dorm . . . the expected increase in enrollment by 1960 . . .

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"We will never bring disgrace to this, our College, by any act of cowardice or dishonesty. We will fight for the ideals and sacred things of the College. We will revere and obey the College laws and do our best to incite a like respect and reverence in others. We will transmit this College to those who come after us, greater, better, and more beautiful than it was transmitted to us."

Two Debaters Win Honors in Tourney

A debate team, composed of Larry Brown, freshman from Maryville, and Gloria McConkey, junior from Barnard, was undefeated in the tournament at Rockhurst College, Kansas City, recently. The team, debating both affirmative and negative on the question, Resolved: the United States Should Discontinue Direct Economic Aid to Foreign Countries, was awarded a merit certificate for excellence in debate and Miss McConkey was awarded a certificate for special distinction in debate.

This event represents the eighty-fourth win and twenty-seventh and twenty-eighth award won by the College in all of the following events: debate, discussion, prose reading, poetry reading, extemporaneous speaking, and original oratory, reports Mrs. Ruby de Gryse.

Fifty Schools to Enter In District Ag Contest

District agriculture and F.F.A. contests will be held here April 12 and 13. Fifty schools will be represented in this district with the high teams going on to compete in the state contest to be held at Columbia, April 16-18.

Chairman of the contest is Mr. Richard T. Wright, chairman of the agriculture department. The Ag Club will assist with the contest which will be held over sixteen activity areas.

Those to Teach in Iowa Must Apply by April 25

Spring graduates who will be teaching in Iowa may obtain an Iowa certificate upon graduation by making application in the Registrar's office and filing the two dollar fee. Application must be completed not later than Thursday, April 25.

Students completing requirements for the Iowa Pre-Professional Certificates (two year) may also obtain certificates in this manner.

Mrs. Sheetz Takes Trip To Chicago Conference

Mrs. Harry Sheetz attended the Conference on College Composition and Communication, March 20 to 23, in the Morrison Hotel at Chicago. The spring meeting consisted of two general sessions, 18 workshops, and 8 panels. Mrs. Sheetz chose the workshop, "Measuring Quality of Teaching."

The main speaker was Mr. Henry Rago, editor of the Poetry Magazine. Mr. Francis Shoemaker, from the Teachers College, Columbia University, served as general chairman.

The Stroller . . .

By walking in the streets, the Stroller managed to get to school last Monday in spite of the heavy snow fall of the preceding Sunday. The halls looked bare and many classes were attended only by small groups. Some students who had traveled home over the weekend did not get back until Tuesday after the highways had been cleared.

Have you noticed the art exhibit by Miss DeLuce's soap carving students? The exhibit is on display on second floor of the Administration building. One will find ballerinas, elephants, lions, mice, dogs, etc., which have been made from graceless bars of ivory soap. The sculptors are members of the Fine Arts II class.

Lee Traster, freshman from Hopkins, is playing musical background on the organ for those who dine at Armstrong's Saturday evenings and Sundays.

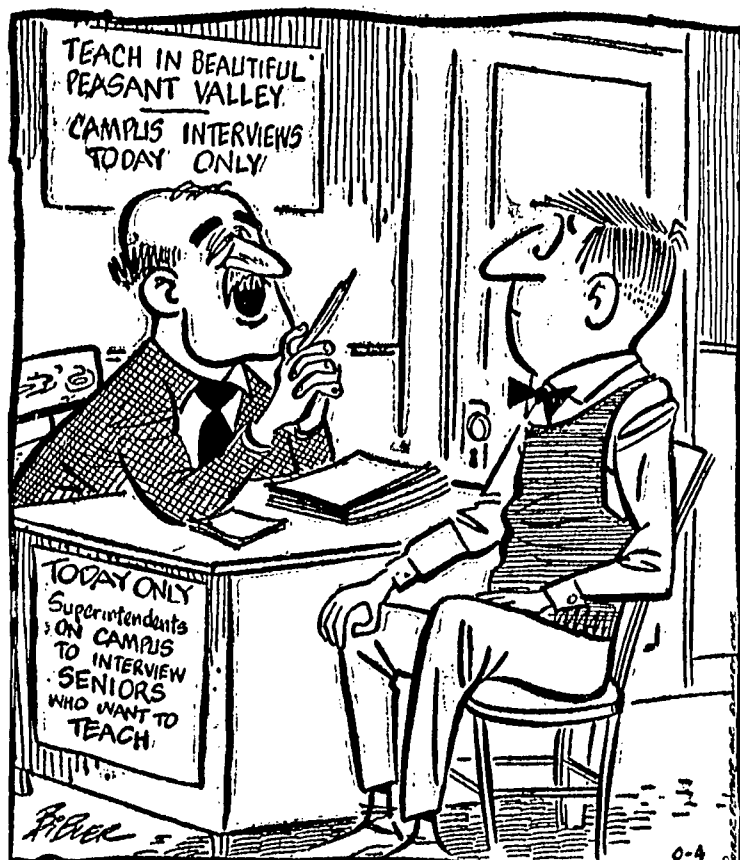
The Stroller admired Beverly Blohm's mermaid costume for the swim show. The 8,640 beautiful sequins were sewed on by Miss Bonnie Magill.

Dean Koerble passed out cigars and candy on the occasion of his new daughter's arrival. The Stroller doesn't smoke, but she did enjoy the chocolates.

The Stroller has made her contribution to the cup marked "Angman's Dowry."

LITTLE MAN ON CAMPUS

by Dick Bibler



"FORGET ABOUT WHAT I WANT YOU TO TEACH—CAN YOU DRIVE A BUS? TEACH SUNDAY SCHOOL? MAKE MINOR REPAIRS—?"

Campus Briefs

Miss Mary Keith attended the annual meeting of the Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development on March 17-21 at St. Louis. Miss Keith was a hostess at a regional breakfast. She also attended a library meeting and was a member of a study group on research for curriculum improvement.

Members of Miss Mildred Ross's Education 109 class are responsible for class exhibits to be on display each week at the library.

Hugh Kunkel, a former student of the College, was on the campus recently. He is now manager of the Spa Restaurant, forty miles east of the Chicago Loop on Highway 20—the toll road on the Chesterton, Indiana, exit.

Everett W. Brown, director of field services at the College, and John Smay, chairman of the music department, attended the music contests at Chillicothe last week.

A spring workshop for classroom teachers was held in the Union March 23 with Mr. Richard Bradley, vice president of the Missouri Classroom Teachers, delivering the main address. The theme for the event was "Teacher Welfare."

Recently Colhecon held a St. Patrick's Day Banquet at Armstrong's. The guests were Miss Mabel Cook and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Vogg. Mr. and Mrs. Vogg showed slides of their Scandinavian trip.

Thelma Glasgow, Elaine Tassell, and Virginia Barks, student assistants of the business department, prepared tests in typing, bookkeeping, and shorthand for the annual district commercial contests held yesterday.

Because of last week's big snow, Dr. Denzil M. Cooper was unable to present his lectures for the first time in six years.

Said Dr. Cooper, "I made it from the house, which is one-eighth of a mile from the highway, but the highway was too drifted to make it to Maryville."

Miss Mabel Cook, Miss Thelma Long, Miss Ann Sullivan, and Mrs. Nelson Grabau, members of the home economics department, and Dorothy Evans and Patricia Cottrell, Colhecon representatives, went to Columbia recently where they attended the annual spring meeting of the Missouri Home Economics Association which was held on the University of Missouri campus.

English 11a classes under the instruction of Mr. George Hinshaw

are writing compositions with some rather interesting and novel titles. For example, a recent writing was entitled: For sale, reasonable. "Thinking machine semi-automatic standard chrome finish. Present owner must sell. Call Beaverboard 5-4321."

Dr. Leon F. Miller, head of the education department, went to Platte City last week to attend a county Parent Teachers Association meeting.

Mrs. Otis Wagner, a graduate student of the College and a business teacher at Maryville High, and Dr. Dale J. Blackwell attended the State Business Teachers Conference at Columbia, Saturday.

Dr. J. W. Jones, president of the College, traveled to Jefferson City last week to attend a State Senate committee hearing. The hearing concerned a Senate bill that would put Ray and Carroll counties into the Warrensburg College district.

Larry Ramsey and Charles Hegee, senior speech majors, directed the Horace Mann Senior Play, "Mother Is a Freshman." Miss Dorothy Weigand was supervising director.

Miss Olive DeLuce was elected to the Advisory Council of the Missouri College Art Association at a meeting on March 7, 8, and 9 at Columbia.

Dr. John S. Taylor of the social science department recently attended a three-day meeting in Des Moines, Iowa, of the Midwest Sociological Society.

Miss Olive DeLuce gave a talk at the Cameron Parent-Teacher's meeting March 21. The art festival exhibition, which shows work of all grades, was on display. Jim Hill, a graduate of the College, was in charge of the program.

Richard D. Neff, a senior from Elmo, has been awarded a fellowship amounting to \$3,200 for further study by the Atomic Energy Commission. Dick, who is majoring in math and physics here at the College, will take up the study of Radiological Physics at the University of Kansas and also at the huge atomic plant maintained by the AEC at Hanford, Washington.

Basil Lister, who was graduated from the College last summer is now employed by the Western Electrical Company in New York.

Basil, who was a physics major at the College, is also attending classes at Davison Institute, a branch of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

Founders Day Sigma Taus Celebrate 30th Anniversary

Theta chapter of Sigma Tau Gamma held its 30th Anniversary Founders Day banquet last night to honor the founding members of the fraternity. This banquet was held at Armstrong's.

Three of the founding members still live in Maryville. They are Morris Chick, John Curfman, and Forrest Eckert. Roy Peterson lives in Burlington Junction.

Oldest Fraternity on Campus

Theta chapter of Sigma Tau Gamma is the oldest national fraternity on the campus. It was founded at Maryville State Teachers College, April 2, 1927. The fraternity was formed by 13 members; it is the eighth chapter of a national fraternity which is now composed of 48 chapters in 18 states.

In the faculty of the College are several Tau sponsors or men who have been sponsors. Among these men who have been sponsors are Mr. R. T. Wright, Mr. B. Houghton and Mr. Elwyn Deane are Tau alumni. The present sponsors are Dr. John Harr, Dr. George Gayler, and Mr. R. P. Miller. It is with the help of these men that Theta chapter has continued to thrive and prosper.

Form Alumni Chapter

It is the hope of the chapter that Maryville alumni chapter can be formed. John Koffman, C. P. A., Maryville is the graduate advisor of the college chapter and is working with the drive to gain an alumni chapter.

The new officers of Sigma Tau Gamma are Don Pierpoint, president; Wayne Jackson, vice-president; Walt Ferguson, secretary; Albertson, treasurer; Ron Johnson, corresponding secretary; Sipes and Arnold Lyon, Sagamore; Larry Rice, chaplain; Johnson, sentinel; Larry Hings, historian; and Ed Fuller, alumni secretary.

May 10 has been selected as the date for the spring formal. The Dance committees have been organized and much is being done to make this affair a success.

Parents' Day Committee Plans for Annual Event

The Parents' Day committee is planning for this year's Parents' Day, April 18. Committee members are as follows: Dr. F. W. Mc, chairman; Mr. Ryland Milburn, publicity and registration; Dr. J. Walker, tea and luncheon; Ruth Miller and Dr. Kathryn Miller, assembly program; and Dr. E. Campbell, Mr. James Johnson, Mr. D. N. Valk, classroom exhibits and demonstrations. Mr. Johnson is also liaison between the committee and students.

The committee requests that student organizations contact Dr. Mc or a committee member for their arrangements. Students are needed to serve as guides throughout the day.

Since Easter vacation begins that students are requested to invite their parents to attend classes with them.

Progressive Jazz Band Appears on Television

The Progressive Jazz group, under the direction of Mr. Earle Es, appeared on television, March 28, in St. Joseph. Other activities scheduled for the group are a college assembly in April and a tour sponsored by the Future Teachers Association.

Members of the Progressive Jazz group are Vernon Jenkins, Barbara Ober, Kathryn Clark, Deon Jensen, Jerry Troxell, Richard Pixler, Brett Boyer, Lee Traster, Dave Land, Gaylon Vogel, Richard Ther, Richard Bauman, Robert Fitz, James McIntyre, George Pen, and Gary Jones.

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Phi Sigmas Win Honors in Sports

The men of Phi Sigma Epsilon are proud of their two new trophies which were won recently in intramural sports. First places in volleyball and in the free-throw contest were awarded to the Phi Sigma Epsilon fraternity.

Charles Carroll and Harlan Higginbotham have been elected as pledge masters for this semester. The pledge class has elected Rich Fleming as their pledge captain.

Other officers elected recently are Stan Laughlin, sergeant at arms; Max Voggeser and Walt Maris, intramurals; Larry Sheldon, courtesy director; Jerry Baker, historian; and Larry Powell, reporter.

A dance was held Friday night, March 22, in the chapter room. About twenty actives and pledges with their dates attended. Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Garrett and Mr. and Mrs. Luther Belcher were chaperons.

Delta Zetas Make Plans For Spring Activities

When the Epsilon Rho chapter of Delta Zeta met last week, plans were made for the coming spring activities.

Committees for the spring formal are the following: decorations, Lauretta Taylor and Rosemary Pearson; entertainment, Kathryn Taylor; refreshments, Marilyn Leighty; invitations, Elizabeth Westergaard; and clean-up, Mary Griffin. The dance is to be held April 26.

For the Mothers' Day Tea are the following committees: entertainment, Kathy Huff; decorations, Janet Grider; refreshments, Colene Hughes; clean-up, Norma Hawkins; and servers, Jo Parent.

The initiation services for alumnae Delta Sigmas will be held April 7, at 1:30 p.m. A coffee hour will follow.

Beverly Conway organized a volleyball team to play in the tournament.

Songs were sung at the close of the evening.

Vivian Head Is Chosen Newman Club President

New officers of the Newman Club are Vivian Head, president; Bob Bush, vice-president; Rose Mary Meyer, secretary - treasurer; and Joe Frederick, reporter.

Members of the Newman Club attended mass and a communion breakfast at the St. Patrick's Church, March 24. The Reverend Maur Burbach, O.S.B., from Conception Abbey, was the guest speaker. The Reverend Richard Saale, assistant pastor at Saint Patrick's church, also attended the breakfast.

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Greek Leaders



THESE STUDENTS . . . were recently elected presidents of their various organizations. Reading from left to right, top to bottom, Jo Parent, Delta Zeta; Don Pierpoint, Sigma Tau Gamma; Richard Dinkel, Tau Kappa Epsilon; Joanne Beeson, Sigma Sigma Sigma; Beverly Murphy, Alpha Sigma Alpha; and Don Bennett, Phi Sigma Epsilon.

Art Majors Turn To Oriental Ways

Mrs. Harry Dildine recently entertained members of the Art Club and Kappa Pi and their sponsor, Miss Olive DeLuce, by showing them an exhibition of Chinese arts and crafts and serving her guests refreshments, which were eaten with chopsticks.

Miss DeLuce's art classes have been delving into phases of Oriental Art. Mr. and Mrs. Dildine served as missionaries in Peking several years and during that time collected many Chinese relics which added to the group's interest and knowledge of Oriental Art.

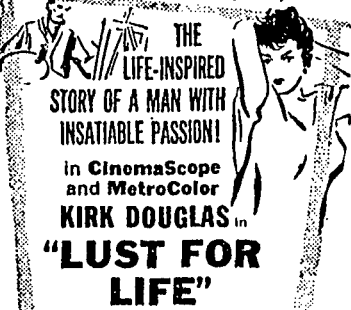
Steve Knott, freshman from Coffey, was program chairman for the bi-weekly meeting.

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Richard Jenkins, Ardith Linn Are Top Independent Officers

The Independent Club, at its meeting on March 26, elected Richard Jenkins, Cameron, as the president for next year. Ardith Linn, Elliott, Iowa, was selected as vice-president. Shirley Noelck, Westside, Iowa, and Ray Forc, Cameron, are secretary and treasurer, respectively. These new officers will work in cooperation with the former officers for the remainder of the year.

Sigma President Names Committees

Joanne Beeson, president of the Sigma Sigma Sigma sorority, reports the following new chairmen for standing committees for the coming year: Janet Sanders, art; Velma Swartz, charm school; Donna Sue Jones, directory; Anita McIntyre, Founder's Day; Nancy Young, magazine; Donna Hall, music.

Cynthia Neill, scrapbook; Jean Noel, social service; Peggy Cox, program; Ann Newcomer, public information; Delivee Cramer, rush; Joyce Ely, homecoming; Joyce McCool, room; Gaylene Watson, social chairman; Patty New, Pan-Hellenic representative; Connie Robey, sentinel.

Work Day is to be held April 6. Girls will work at odd jobs and turn their pay over to the sorority. Chairmen of this project is Cynthia Neill. Her committee includes Carol Burch, Donna Hall, Ann Newcomer, and Sandy Toeller.

Donna Sue Jones, Anita McIntyre, and Darlene Dilks are the three queen candidates from the sorority for the Phi Sig Frolics.

Tri Sigmas held a bake and rummage sale March 23. Joyce Ely and Carol Burch were in charge. The group is also selling all-occasion cards.

Pi Omega Pi Members Initiate 11 Pledges

The Beta Chapter of Pi Omega Pi recently held its regular meeting in the Lakeview Room of the Union.

Active initiation was held for Harold Randol, Donna Jo Thompson, Carol Jensen, Gloria June Jameson, Beatrice Jones, Arthur Norton, Margaret Owen, Beverly Fletchall, Bill Burnham, Merrill Nisely, and Bill Mullins.

Work day, which had previously been scheduled for Saturday, March 30, was postponed because of the inclement weather. The hayrack ride also was postponed.

In response to the Phi Sigma invitation to nominate three candidates for the Frolics Queen, Raedene Eberle, Marsha Daniels, and Faye Johnson were nominated.

Formal initiation for three new members, Paul Kerber, Gail Brown, and Faye Johnson, was read in an impressive and solemn candle lighting ceremony.

Paul Kerber reported that the Independents made a good record at the intramural swim meet.

Marsha Daniels and Raedene Eberle, co-chairmen of the committee for the spring formal scheduled for April 13, reported some suggestions from their committee. The theme has been chosen and work is being begun on other details.

The Independent Club, in its effort to provide a club for all interested students will hold a planning session soon to articulate all the club's activities for next year so that the club may function even better than in the past.

Alpha Sigmas Install Newly Chosen Officers

Newly elected officers for the Alpha Sigma Alpha sorority were installed March 19.

Six sorority members attended the Alpha State Day held in Springfield. Those girls attending were Jo Goeders, Norma Long, Sue Whitford, Bev Blohm, Elaine Schroeder, and Ann Shilling.

The following girls were selected to represent the sorority in the Phi Sig Frolics: Jennifer Oswald, Jo Goeders, and Vicki Prather.

Plans are in full swing for the Spring Formal, April 26.

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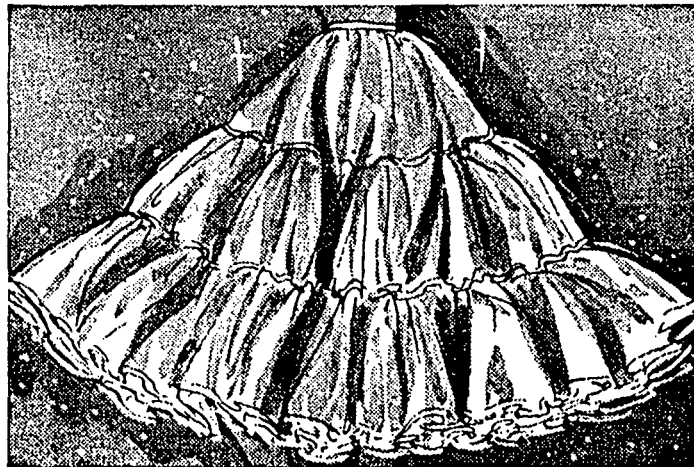
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Position Battles Loom on Baseball Squad

Twenty-Four Men Make Up Varsity For Diamond Sport

By Dick Hensley

Coach Neal Tremble announced early last week the names of the twenty-four men who will make up the 1957 Bearcat baseball squad. The roster, which includes six lettermen, is composed of seven pitchers, two catchers, ten infielders, and five outfielders. Of the twenty-four men listed, there are ten freshmen, four sophomores, five juniors, and five seniors.

Who will be in the starting lineup April 9 against the University of Omaha is very much undecided at the present moment as practice sessions have been cut to a minimum because of the weather conditions which have hampered the entire Midwest.

Coach Awaits Weather

Tremble can only wait until he gets a much deserved break in the weather to decide upon his starting nine. However, despite the uncertainty of the situation, there appear to be some tight battles developing for most of the starting positions.

Perhaps the biggest battle will be over who will handle the catching chores. Senior letterman Ron O'Dell is back this year in hopes of retaining the position he held last year, but he is being seriously challenged by 22-year-old freshman Tom Groves. Groves has displayed his fine talents both as a receiver and as a hitter. O'Dell will have to be at his best if he is to be in the starting line up next Tuesday. Summa Challenges Hutcheon

The infield positions can best be described as nothing more than question marks. Freshman Craig Summa is challenging veteran Mike Hutcheon for the first base job, while William Burnham and Jack Little, both lettermen, are fighting it out for second base.

At shortstop, smooth fielding Joe Nakamura will be in a hot race with Dick Powell, Jerry Kemery, and Bob Wilson for the starting berth. Over at the "hot corner," Kenny Stevens, who has an impressive record behind him, and Mickey Narden from Roseville, Michigan, are bidding for the third base job.

Reeves May Help Outfield

Fred Reeves, a transfer student from Simpson College, is being counted upon to further strengthen an already strong outfield. Reeves was the number four man in the Simpson batting order last spring, and according to all reports from Indianola, should be a valuable asset for the 'Cats. With Carl Bolz, Jamie Neely, Buck Skaggs, and letterman Russ Davenport, the Bearcats should have more than adequate outfield strength.

Senior letterman Marvin Murphy will head Tremble's seven man pitching staff and should receive excellent help from Jim Fronkier and Ron Cain. Fronkier, who was named Most Valuable Player in the Kansas City Ban Johnson League in 1955 with a 15-3 record, and Cain, the lad from Thurman, Iowa, who had a 10-1 record with his high school team last year, might well be the men who will form the nucleus of the staff. However, Kinsil Walker, Fred Fuhr, Lee Thayer, and Al Brooks can't be overlooked as all stand a good chance of seeing a lot of action this spring.



TWO TOP TEKE WRESTLERS . . . Darryl Kluever, left, and Darryl Chiles, center, accept the Intramural Wrestling award from Dr. H. D. Peterson, director of athletics, on behalf of Tau Kappa Epsilon fraternity. This year's wrestling program was well received and was one more of the top-notch intramural events scheduled by the Intramural Commission under Dr. Peterson's direction.

Random Shots . . .

By RICHARD FLEMING

The Bearcat track squad finished on the short end of the scoring in the Missouri Intercollegiate Athletic Association Indoor Track and Field Meet at Columbia, on March 23. The Bearcats ended up with 22 points which left them at the bottom of the heap as Cape Girardeau successfully defended its championship with 42 points.

Kirksville was second with 31½ points, followed by Rolla, Warrensburg, Springfield, and Maryville with 30½, 30, 24, and 22, respectively.

Denzil Caldwell was the only first-place winner for Maryville when he won the high jump with a leap of six feet, two inches.

Second place was won by Wayne Jackson in the 440 yard dash and Roger Wake in the broad jump. Bob James, who won the 60 yard dash last year, could finish only third in the event. A pulled leg muscle prevented him from placing in the low hurdles. John Schulze won fourth place in the shot put with a heave of 42 feet 6 inches. Vic Cromer finished fifth in the high hurdles.

The tennis squad will have its first match next Monday at Omaha. The squad is trying to get in action again after being held up last week by the snow. Five men will make the trip to Omaha. The fifth spot on the team behind Charles Adair, Bob Alcorn, Larry Rowley, and Dick Phillips is still open. Warren Landess and Herb Laake are the leading contenders for the position but J. C. Wood, Don Pierpoint, and Jamie Tankersley are also in the running.

Volleyball for Women Is Now in Full Swing

Girls' intramural volleyball games began last week. The schedule for the remaining games is:

April 8, 4 p.m.: PEM vs. Fulton
5 p.m.: ASA vs. Tri Sigs
April 9, 4 p.m.: Gamboa vs. Delta Zetas
April 15, 4 p.m.: Delta Zetas vs. Tri Sigs
5 p.m.: PEM vs. Gamboa
April 16, 4 p.m.: ASA vs. Fulton
April 22, 4 p.m.: ASA vs. Delta Zetas
5 p.m.: Fulton vs. Gamboa
April 25, 4 p.m.: Tri Sigs vs. PEM
April 29, 5 p.m.: Delta Zetas vs. PEM

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Tau Kappa Epsilon Takes First Place In Wrestling Meet

Tau Kappa Epsilon walked away with the wrestling trophy in the intramural commission's spring program.

The TEKES gathered 37 points, Phi Sigs had 35, Sig Taus earned 23 points, and Independents had 8. Points were given on a 5 for first and 3 for second. Each man received 3 points for a win and one point for a loss.

Rules for the meet were taken from the national college type and are not the same as the professional wrestlers use. College wrestling is not the wide open style and is wrestled in three-minute rounds with points awarded for certain holds and pins.

In the 137 to 147 pound class Darryl Kluever, TEKE, outpointed Robert Myers, TEKE, for the title in that class.

Darrell Chiles, TEKE, picked up 11 points in defeating Richard Dinkle, TEKE, and Larry Schweizer, Sig Tau, for the championship in the 147 to 157 weight class.

The 167 to 177 division was won by Terrance Hawbaker, Sig Tau. Hawbaker outpointed Vic Cromer.

In the heavyweight division Dean "Moose" Thompson, Phi Sig, defeated Rex Craig, Independent, and Jack Taylor, Phi Sig, for the heavyweight title.

With the increase of interest shown in wrestling this year in intramurals Dr. H. D. Peterson, director of athletics, made this comment, "Within the next two years, if the interest continues to grow, I would like to introduce intercollegiate wrestling at the College."

Milner Expects Meet At Tarkio to Be Tough

When the Bearcat Track Team travels to Tarkio next Friday, April 5, to engage the Tarkio College thincads, the men from Maryville will have a tough time of it if the predictions of track coach Ryland Milner come true.

In an interview last week Coach Milner felt rather discouraged with the chances of the Bearcats in the Tarkio meet. Milner's feeling evidently could be traced to the injury Bob James suffered in the state indoor meet held earlier at Columbia.

James was out in the lead in one of the dashes when at a point about ten yards from the finish line he suffered a pulled muscle and fell to the track.

"James will probably be lost to us for the remainder of this year's season. It is not easy to come back after a pulled muscle holds you down," Milner said.

The Bearcats will probably be especially weak in the sprint and hurdle departments with James out of the running, but it is hoped that John Watson can come along later in the season and capture some of the dashes for the Milners.

"Tarkio has a good track team with a man by the name of Phelps leading their attack in the dashes, but we should do all right in the shot, discus, and high jumps," Milner stated.

The Tarkio Meet will be the third one of the year for the Bearcats. Previous meets have been at Omaha University and the indoor meet at Columbia.



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